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Corps of Engineers announces alcohol restriction at Canyon Lake's Overlook Park

Effective June 23, 2000, the Fort Worth District, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, will implement an alcohol restriction at Overlook Park at Canyon Lake. This new restriction prohibits public consumption or display of alcoholic beverages in Overlook Park and does not apply to any other Corps-managed recreation areas at Canyon Lake.

Overlook Park, as its name implies, is a scenic overlook area at the south end of Canyon Dam near the Corps' Canyon Lake Headquarters Office. This popular area is a "day use only" area and is primarily used by sightseers and hikers. The alcohol restriction will safeguard the welfare and safety of park visitors and promote a family atmosphere in the area. The restriction will also serve to protect and preserve the area's natural and man-made resources.

Additional information about the alcohol restriction may be obtained by calling the Corps of Engineers staff at the Canyon Lake Office at (830) 964-3341, or by sending a written request to Park Ranger Bradley Campbell at the office at 601 COE Rd., Canyon Lake, Texas 78133. E-mail inquiries may be directed to Bradley.Campbell@swf.usace.army.mil.

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